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Examiner: Brian P. Werner

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed August 10, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: